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SUBJECT OPERATION BUCCANEER (TELECOMMUNICATION EQUIPMENT)

DEA HQTS ATT EOIL, MR. PLASE; STO, MR WORDEN

MIAMI RO ATTN OCA

REF: STATE 141484 JUNE 17

1. REF REPORTS PROBLEMS WITH COMM EQUIP SUPPLIED GOJ DURING OPERATION BUCCANEER AND AUTHORIZATION TO INSPECT AND REPLACE SAME UPON REQUEST OF GOJ. ON 6/23/75, PERMANENT SEC WOODHAM OF MINISTRY OF NATIONAL SECURITY AND JUSTICE ACKNOWLEDGED THAT HE WOULD FORWARD AN OFFICIAL REQUEST FOR VISIT OF TECHNICAL EXPERT TO SURVEY PROBLEM AREAS AND ARRANGE FOR REPLACEMENT OF FAULTY EQUIPMENT

2. ON 6/26, PER SEC NOTIFIED DEA THAT HE COULD NOT FORWARD SUCH A REQUEST AS HE HAD NOT BEEN NOTIFIED THAT PROBLEM EXISTS WITH COMMO EQUIPMENT. HE SUGGESTED SAIC ARRANGE TO HAVE REPORT RE SAME CHANNELLED THROUGH GOJ TO PROVIDE BASIS FOR HIS REQUEST.

SAIC CONFERRED WITH SENIOR SUPT SAM MULLINGS, CHIEF OF JCF TELECOMMUNICATIONS SEC RE POSSIBILITY OF FILING OF A REPORT ON FAULTY EQUIP SUPPLIED DURING BUCCANEER. MULLINGS ACKNOWLEDGED HAVING BEEN IN CONTACT WITH MOTOROLA REP RE BUCCANEER EQUIP.

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MULLINGS ASSERTS THAT THERE IS NO SERIOUS PROBLEM WITH EQUIP.

THERE HAVE BEEN BREAKDOWNS ON SOME UNITS BUT THIS IS NORMAL.
HE ACKNOWLEDGED THAT 60 CYCLE EQUIP SUPPLIED BY USG ONLY
PUTS OUT 80 PERCENT OF CAPABILITY BUT THAT HIS OFFICE HAS OTHER ELECTRO
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EQUIPMENT WHICH OPERATES SIMILARLY AND EFFECT IS MINIMAL. MULLINGS
ASSERTS THAT ONLY POWER SUPPLY UNITS IN ALL BASE AND
REPEATER (MICOR) EQUIP NEED BE CHANGED IN ORDER TO CONVERT
EQUIP TO 50 CYCLE. HE ESTIMATES
TOTAL COST OF REPLACEMENT SHOULD NOT EXCEED \$5,000.00. HE FURTHER
HE FURTHER SUGGESTS THAT
VISIT OF MOTOROLA REP AND ANY ADDITIONAL EQUIPMENT COSTS
IS UNNECESSARY AND UNJUSTIFIED. MULLINGS WILL FORWARD
ABOVE INFO THROUGH CHANNELS TO MINISTRY, THEREAFTER
EMBASSY SHOULD RECEIVE LETTER OF REQUESTS. (GLC). GERARD

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